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Docket No.: KCC-15,208

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mary Lucille DeLUCIA
Sandy CHI-CHING TAN

Serial No.: 09/871,031

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Title: COMPOSITE MATERIAL WITH
IMPROVED HIGH VISCOSITY FLUID
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Examiner: C. Thompson

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING
OF RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This Petition is filed with the Amendment in response to the Office
Action mailed 24 September 2002. The time period for submission of this
Amendment was set to expire 24 December 2002.

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Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for an extension of time of one (1) month for filing the Amendment in the above-identified application, such extension to expire 24 January 2003, which time is within the statutory period.

The Fee set in Rule 1.17 for the above-period is enclosed. If there is any deficiency or overage in the Fee required for the above-requested extension, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 19-3550. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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